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To [Name No. 42].^[i]

The Chief of the Political Division of the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, SÖDERBLOM,^[ii] gave [Name No. 6]^[iii] the following information:

The Swedish [B] Minister of Foreign Affairs was well informed about the USSR and its air force. The Swedish Government was expecting this great offensive by the Russians and they are pleased that their information is being borne out by events.

At present they are planning to increase the staff of their Legation [MISSIYA] in KUBYSHEV, and an officer with the rank of general is being briefed for the post of Military Attaché in the USSR.

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[Name No. 59]^[iv]

Comments: [i] Name No. 42 : Possibly Capt. (1st Rank) M. A. VORONTSOV.

[ii] S. J. SÖDERBLOM : Chief of Political Division 1937-1944.

[iii] Name No. 6 : Unidentified. Has previously occurred in STOCKHOLM's No. 2274 of 7th July 1943 (3/NBF/T967).

[iv] Name No. 59 : Probably Capt. Aleksei TARADIN, Soviet Naval Attaché in STOCKHOLM.

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